

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)	
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)	(Preliminary)

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Room 101
U.S. International
Trade Commission
500 E Street, SW
Washington, D.C.

The hearing commenced pursuant to Notice, at
11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
International Trade Commission, DEANNA TANNER OKUN,
Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:ITC Commissioners:

DEANNA TANNER OKUN, CHAIRMAN (presiding)
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STEPHEN KOPLAN, COMMISSIONER

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(11:00 a.m.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Good morning. This meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to order. Good morning, Madam Secretary.

MS. ABBOTT: Good morning, Madam Chairman.

CHAIRMAN OKUN: And good morning to Commissioner Bragg, who is participating by telephone this morning.

COMMISSIONER BRAGG: Good morning.

CHAIRMAN OKUN: I understand there is no agenda for future meetings or outstanding action jackets to consider. Is there any objection to approval of the minutes of December 19, 2002?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, they are approved. Is there any objection to approval of Ratification List 03-001?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, it is approved. We will now turn to Investigation Number 731-TA-1022 (Preliminary) Refined Brown Aluminum Oxide from China. Good morning to Mr. Deyman and the other staff who participated in this investigation.

Does any commissioner have questions for the staff?

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1 (No response.)

2 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Are there any additions or
3 corrections to the staff report?

4 MR. DEYMAN: Madam Chairman, I'm George Deyman,
5 Office of Investigations. There are no additions or
6 corrections to the staff report.

7 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Is there any objection to approval
8 of the staff report?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, it is approved.
11 Madam Secretary, will you please call the roll?

12 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Hillman?

13 VICE CHAIRMAN HILLMAN: I vote in the affirmative.

14 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Miller?

15 COMMISSIONER MILLER: I vote in the affirmative.

16 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

17 CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the affirmative.

18 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Bragg?

19 COMMISSIONER BRAGG: I vote in the affirmative.

20 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Koplan?

21 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: I vote in the affirmative.

22 MS. ABBOTT: Madam Chairman, the Commission has
23 reached an affirmative determination.

24 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Thank you. Further information
25 regarding this determination will be in a press release.

1 Commissioners' opinions are currently scheduled to be
2 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
3 January 13, 2003.

4 Thank you to all staff who participated in this
5 investigation. Seeing no other business to come before the
6 Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

7 (Whereupon, at 11:02 a.m., the Commission meeting
8 was adjourned.)

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: Refined Brown Aluminum Oxide from China

INVESTIGATION NO.: 731-TA-1022

HEARING DATE: January 6, 2003

LOCATION: Washington, D.C.

NATURE OF HEARING:

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DATE: January 6, 2003

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